

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	§	Group Art Unit: 1637
<b>Eric T. KOOL</b>	§	
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Serial No.: 10/604,400	§	Examiner: Teresa E. Strzelecka
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Filed: July 17, 2003	§	
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For: <b>Detection of Chemical Ligation Using</b>	§	Atty. Dkt. No.: 12665.0024.NPUS01
<b>Fluorescence Quenching Leaving Groups</b>	§	
	§	Confirmation No.: 1399

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time of three months to and including June 19, 2009 in which to respond to the Office Action dated December 19, 2008.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee of \$555 for small entity to Howrey LLP Deposit Account No. 08-3038/12665.0024.NPUS01. Should any additional fees be required for any reason in connection with this communication, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct such fees from the same deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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